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Theodore Gottlieb**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

SERIAL NO.	: 09/743,394
APPLICANT	: Bernd DORKEN et al.,
FILED	: 7 February 2001
EXAMINER	: Bronwen Loeb
ART UNIT	: 1636
FOR	: METHOD FOR OPTIMIZING THE PRODUCTION OF ADENOVIRUS VECTORS

Hon. Commissioner of Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

August 21, 2003

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))**

1. This is a petition to extend the period of time one (1) month for filing a response to the Office Action dated March 17, 2003.


2. Applicant is: **SMALL ENTITY**

<u>EXTENSION (MONTHS)</u>	<u>FEE FOR LARGE ENTITY</u>	<u>FEE FOR SMALL ENTITY</u>
One month <input type="checkbox"/>	\$110	\$55
Two months <input type="checkbox"/>	\$410	\$205
Three months <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	\$930	\$465
Four months <input type="checkbox"/>	\$1,450	\$725
Five months <input type="checkbox"/>	\$1,970	\$985
TOTAL FEE \$465.00		

4. A Response and Amendment is filed herewith

5. Charge the petition fee to Deposit Account No. 14-1263 and for any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid. A duplicate of this petition is attached.

Respectfully Submitted,

  
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